

Public Act 13-34 requires each municipality to appoint someone as the Veterans contact person for the community. I have selected Police Chief Robin Montgomery to be Brookfield's representative. Chief Montgomery's mission is to assist veterans to get to the right place to have their questions answered. There are over 260,000 veterans in Connecticut receiving some sort of assistance. Not only does the Federal government provide assistance, but the State of Connecticut provides assistance as well.

There are two important websites to consider when searching for information: [www.ct.gov/ctva](http://www.ct.gov/ctva) and [www.veterans.ct.gov](http://www.veterans.ct.gov). These websites can assist veterans in learning what services are available.

Connecticut also has a hotline for questions: 1-866-928-8387. Should a veteran require serious counseling, the Connecticut Military Support Plan can be contacted at 1-866-251-2913. The counseling is free and confidential.

If you have questions, Chief Montgomery can be contacted at [rmontgomery@brookfieldct.gov](mailto:rmontgomery@brookfieldct.gov).